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Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111
- 2. Online Credit Card Payment Authorization for \$460.00 to cover: \$460.00 Petition for Extension of Time Fee; and
- 3. Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time.

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